

# Emily Knick

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## Research Interests

Psycholinguistics, the phonetics-phonology interface, speech perception, lexical access.

## Education

- 2023 - 2028 **Ph.D. in Linguistics**, University of California, Santa Cruz  
Advisor: Amanda Rysling
- 2020 - 2023 **B.A. in Linguistics**, University of Massachusetts Amherst  
Minors in Japanese and Psychology  
*Magna cum laude*, Commonwealth Honors College

## Summer Schools

- 2023 **Linguistic Society of America (LSA) Summer Institute**, UMass Amherst

## Presentations

### Posters

- 2022 **Knick, Emily.** Prevoicing loss and the [voice] contrast in the production of Tokyo Japanese plosives. Poster at 28<sup>th</sup> Massachusetts Undergraduate Research Conference. Virtual Presentation.

## Research Positions

### UMass Amherst

- 2022 - 2023 **Research assistant**  
Cognitive Science of Language Lab  
PI: Brian Dillon
- 2022 - 2023 **Lab manager**  
XLing Laboratories  
PIs: Brian Dillon, John Kingston, Shota Momma
- 2021 - 2022 **Lab manager (joint appointment)**  
XLing Laboratories  
PIs: Brian Dillon, John Kingston, Shota Momma

2020 - 2023     **Research assistant**  
Phonetics Lab  
PI: John Kingston

## Teaching

Fall 2021     **Teaching assistant**, UMass Amherst  
LING 414: Introduction to Phonetics  
Instructor: John Kingston

## Honors & Awards

2023 - 2024     **Chancellor's Fellowship**, UC Santa Cruz  
2023 - 2024     **Regents Fellowship**, UC Santa Cruz  
2020 - 2023     **Departmental Honors**, UMass Amherst  
2020 - 2023     **Dean's List**, UMass Amherst

## Service

2023     **Volunteer**, LSA Summer Institute at UMass Amherst  
2021 - 2022     **Linguistics student ambassador**, UMass College of Humanities and Fine Arts  
2021 - 2022     **Dean's Advisory Board representative**, UMass College of Humanities and Fine Arts

## Skills

### Languages

English (native)  
Japanese (intermediate)  
Spanish (reading)

### Technical Skills

L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, MATLAB, PCIBex, Praat, PsychoPy, Python, R